

## ANNOUNCEMENTS



**Every Wednesday those 4 years through 12th grade participate in the CBC Awana program** from Sept. through April. Prayerfully consider where

you can help. Areas needing help are Club leaders, Club secretaries, Listeners, & Game leaders. Awana starts Wednesday, September 13<sup>th</sup> at 6:30pm. Sign-up sheets for volunteers are at the Welcome Center. STUDENT REGISTRATIONS ARE OPEN NOW AT [WWW.CBCPIERRE.ORG](http://WWW.CBCPIERRE.ORG) ON THE HOME PAGE. Contact Steve Valland or Brent Dowling for more information.

**Community Bible Church worship team** is looking for the following to join our team for Sunday mornings: ✓Guitarists ✓Drummers ✓Pianists for the clavi nova ✓Pianists in general ✓ Singers If you are interested, please contact Brenda Engbrecht or Virginia Hanson.

**GriefShare @CBC Begins TODAY from 2:00 -4:00.** This Christ-centered program helps people apply biblical principles as they deal with the emotions and life stresses following the death of a loved one. Questions, talk to Carol Gengler, Nancy Thomsen, Marc Scarborough, or Scott Granville.

**A preliminary budget meeting** is set for Sunday, September 10<sup>th</sup> at 7pm in the sanctuary. A draft of the 2023 – 24 budget will be discussed. Contact any deacon with questions.

**The Tuesday AM Men's Bible Study will begin a new book in the Bible** this coming Tuesday, August 22, 2023. The men will be studying the Old Testament book Jeremiah. Breakfast is served at 6:00 am. All men are welcomed to the study.

**Opportunity to fellowship while we work!** Join the Deacons in preparing the Sanctuary to have carpets cleaned. We will be removing all chairs from the Sanctuary on Sunday, Sept. 24<sup>th</sup> at 7PM. On Tuesday, Sept. 26<sup>th</sup> starting at 4 PM we will be moving chairs back into the Sanctuary. Please join us as many hands make light work!

**Dear friends, I had a great summer at Victory Center Bible camp.** I had 6 to 8 campers each week. It was so encouraging to see the campers understand what they learned in chapel, in cabin devos or their "one on ones". I saw God help me with energy and patience this summer. Thank you for the prayers and the financial support. I was blessed by you! Thank You, Nyah Ogan

**We want to thank everybody at CBC,** being here has been a blessing to us. And thank you to everyone for the umbrella shower with gifts for baby Samuel and our family. It means a lot! Antonio & Sarah Rodriguez .

PLEASE JOIN US FOR A  
baby  
SHOWER

HONORING  
*Kathryn Sumner*  
SEPTEMBER  
SATURDAY 9 8:30-11 AM  
COMMUNITY BIBLE CHURCH  
COFFEE AREA

KATHRYN IS REGISTERED ON BABYLIST.COM ● SEARCH FOR KATHRYN AND CHANCE SUMNER

## THIS WEEK AT CBC

### Sunday – 27<sup>th</sup>

- 8:30 AM Worship service
- 10:00 AM Bible Hour: 3 yrs. – 5th grade meet in classrooms (Welcome Center has a map)
  - Middle School (6th, 7th, 8th grades) – Room 300 (upstairs in gym)
  - Senior High (9th – 12th grades) – Youth Room (upstairs NW corner of gym)
  - Adults – Room 200 (next to gym kitchen) – The Book of Samuel
  - Adults – Room 201 (next to gym doors) – The Pilgrim's Progress – Part 2
  - Adults – Room 400 (across from coffee area) – Grandparenting Matters
- 11:00 AM Worship Service
- 2:00 AM GriefShare begins – see insert
- 6:00 PM Women's Prayer Meeting in the sanctuary
- 6:00 PM CBC Unashamed Youth (6<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> grades)

### Monday – 28<sup>th</sup>

- 6:00 PM Men's Bible study – Contact Mark Anderson (605.281.1263) - Room 300
- 7:00 PM Boys & Girls 7<sup>th</sup> thru 12<sup>th</sup> grade Bible Study – Contact Heidi Becker (605.280-7803)
- 7:00 PM High School Study Group – Resumes Sept. 11<sup>th</sup>

### Tuesday – 29<sup>th</sup>

- 6:00 PM Men's Bible study – Contact Rick Vallery (605.222.8045) - Room 200
- 6:00 AM Men's Bible study in person @ 318 N Jefferson or via Zoom
  - Contact Brent Dowling or John Strohman
- 6:30 PM No BSF (Women's Bible Study Fellowship) – Resumes Sept. 12<sup>th</sup>
- 6:30 PM Elder meeting in room 202 – Contact an Elder to be added to the agenda
- 7:00 PM Deacon meeting in room 201 – Contact a Deacon to be added to the agenda

### Wednesday – 30<sup>th</sup>

- 6:30 PM No AWANA – Resumes Sept. 13<sup>th</sup>

### Thursday – 31<sup>st</sup>

- 7:15 AM No Youth Prayer Breakfast – Resumes Sept. 7<sup>th</sup>
- 9:00 AM Women's Bible Study – Contact Pastor Chance
- 6:30 PM Worship Team rehearsal in sanctuary.
- 7:00 PM Community Inc. 12:5 for college and career young adults – 811 N Madison Ave.
  - Contact Gaye Granville (402.319.3171)

### Friday – 1<sup>st</sup>

- 6:00 AM Men's Bible study – Contact Scott Granville (605.280.3330) - Room 200

### LOOKING AHEAD

- Sept. 3 All Church Prayer Service in sanctuary
- Sept. 6 AWANA organizational meeting in sanctuary at 6:30 PM, in the sanctuary for all Leaders, Secretaries, Games Leaders, Helpers, and Listeners.

# WELCOME

**WE'RE GLAD YOU'RE HERE** and we want to help you get connected and grow in your Christian walk. Please visit our Welcome Center to ask for help with various CBC ministries for all ages. A complete listing of our staff, ministries, and Sunday messages can be found at [www.cbcpierre.org](http://www.cbcpierre.org).

**Nursery is provided during both services and Sunday School:**

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|-------------------------|------------------------|------------------|
| 1 <sup>st</sup> service | 8:20 – end of service  | infant – 3 years |
| During Sunday School    | 9:50 – end of class    | infant – 3 years |
| 2 <sup>nd</sup> service | 10:50 – end of service | infant – 3 years |

**NURSING MOTHERS** are invited to use the Cry Room behind the kitchen in the coffee area.

## WHAT WE BELIEVE

~ That Jesus is the Son of God who became a man to die for the sins of the whole world; He was raised from the dead and ascended back to heaven; He is coming again. (1 Cor 15: 1-8)  
 ~ That the Bible is the inspired word of God and is the only authority for our faith (what we believe) and practice (how we are to live). (2 Tim 3:16) ~ That every person has worth as a creation of God, but that all have sinned and fallen short of the glory of God. (Rom 3:23) ~ That forgiveness of sins, the promise of eternal life and an abundant life are available to those who believe that Jesus Christ is Savior and Lord. (Jn 3:16) ~ That those accepting Christ shall repent of sin, confess faith, and be baptized into Him. (Rom 10:9; Acts 2:38) ~ That the Church exists to provide for the spiritual growth of the people and to see that the Gospel is preached to everyone. (Eph 4:1-16) ~ That Jesus Christ will one day return to earth and reign forever as King of kings and Lord of lords. (1 Thess. 4:13-18)



**CBC has Wi-Fi Internet.** The Welcome Center can provide connection information.



**CBC provides Assistive Listening Devices.** Check out a receiver at the Welcome Center.



**2 AEDs available** 1) West of Welcome Center 2) In the gym kitchen on west wall

### NEXT SUNDAY'S VOLUNTEERS

|   |                 |                                     |                |
|---|-----------------|-------------------------------------|----------------|
| Scripture   | Kim Kahler      |                                     |                |
| 1 <sup>st</sup> Ushers  | Shane Bland     | 2 <sup>nd</sup> Ushers              | Jon Becker     |
| 1 <sup>st</sup> Welcome Center                                  |                 | 2 <sup>nd</sup> Welcome Center      | Susan Sheppick |
| 1 <sup>st</sup> Greeters  |                 | 2 <sup>nd</sup> Greeters            |                |
| 1 <sup>st</sup> Nursery (Walker)                                | Brittanie Rezac | 2 <sup>nd</sup> Nursery (Walker)    |                |
| SS Nursery (Walker)   | Sara Granville  | 2 <sup>nd</sup> Nursery (Toddler)   |                |
| 1 <sup>st</sup> Sound   |                 | 2 <sup>nd</sup> Sound               |                |
| 1 <sup>st</sup> Graphics  |                 | 2 <sup>nd</sup> Graphics            | Mindy Sargent  |
| 1 <sup>st</sup> Livestream & Lights                             |                 | 2 <sup>nd</sup> Livestream & Lights |                |
| <i>We thank you for your service to Community Bible Church!</i> |                 |                                     |                |

**August 27, 2023  
 Worship Times  
 8:30 AM & 11:00 AM**

Gather in Fellowship  
 Welcome and Call to Worship

Worship Team

Scripture  
 Pastoral Prayer  
 Worship through Song

Psalm 121 (p. 546)  
 Joel Jundt, Elder  
 Worship Team

Message  
 Prov 24:15 - 16 (p. 516)

"Falling Yet Rising"  
 Pastor Chance Sumner

Closing Hymn  
 Depart in Fellowship

An Elder is available in the Prayer Room at the end of the service to pray & serve.

*\*Please remain quiet prior to the worship service to allow others to pray & meditate.  
 \*Please remain in the sanctuary for the duration of the service to minimize distraction.*



CBC MEN! Join us on Sept. 9, 2023, from 6-8pm.

Invite another guy!

Bring an appetizer, or a side dish, or something to throw!

Meat provided by CBC.

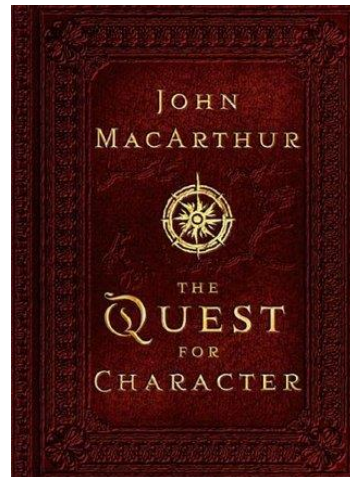


## Another Tuesday morning Men's Study Opportunity!

We are looking at starting back up our men's group on Tuesday, Sept. 12. Our first study for the year will be a relatively short but powerful one. It is entitled **Quest for Character** by John MacArthur. A true Christian will always want to grow in real Christlike character (not just appearances). Note the sections in the Book that we will examine along with daily Bible reading:

1. **The Beatitudes**
2. **Progress of Faith**
3. **Fruit of the Spirit**
4. **The Triumph of Love**

Just as we have in the past few years, we will meet on Tuesday mornings, from 6 to 7 a.m. You can join us in person, with great coffee at Brent Dowling's, or wherever you are at via Zoom online. This will be a great study whether you are a new believer or a seasoned saint. If you are interested, contact John Strohman at 605-280-2780, and we will make sure you have the materials you need. God bless and may we grow in the grace of our Lord together!



## “FROM PULPIT & PAPER”

### Summer and Life Frustrations in the Country

As a retiree from the USDA with a vocation in helping to manage pests—both insects and weeds—it has become easier for me to see to see the work of God Almighty, especially during the summer.

The warm months seem to be all about weed management, and the sheer diversity among the grasses (cool- vs. warm-season grasses) and broadleaf plants adds to the complexity of managing the weeds. To add to the frustration, summers also turn into a war on the grasshopper. We have some 90 species of grasshoppers in South Dakota. Some are quite destructive (just ask Sharon about her flower garden), and some can be beneficial eating only certain plants. Amazingly, grasshoppers cannot interbreed. God made the grasshoppers so that each species can mate only with its own type, thus preventing the creation of a super destructive hybrid type grasshopper.

As I take long walks with my dog, I reflect that this type of diversity must have a Creator and cannot be the result of chance over time. This realization does not make pest management any easier, but I do get a perspective that we serve a God worthy of our worship. I believe we serve a Creator that allows us to have an active role in pest management who enriches us with a wide range of control strategies and techniques to make their management largely possible, and yet God also creates the pest we seek to manage.

The verse that helps capture both my frustration with pests *and* my adoration to God for creating them is Rom 11:33 & 36: “Oh the depth of the riches and wisdom and knowledge of God! How unsearchable are His judgements and how inscrutable His ways! For from Him and through Him and to Him are all things. To Him be glory forever. Amen.”

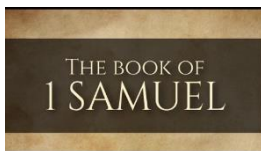
Bruce Helbig, Member

## New Sunday School Classes Classes start TODAY!



**The Pilgrim's Progress: Part 2**  
**Led by: Pastor Chance Sumner**  
**Room: 201**

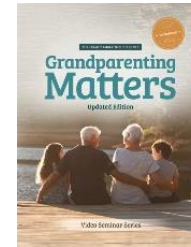
What's the greatest Christian novel ever written? If judging by sales, it's *Pilgrim's Progress*. Since John Bunyan authored it, this has been a treasured work for many and yet numerous Christians have never actually read this important book. In this class, we will read part two of *Pilgrim's Progress* and discuss the many great themes that arise during Christiana's journey. Join us as we travel along the path to the Celestial City!



**1<sup>st</sup> Samuel**  
**Led by: Kim Kahler**  
**Room: 200**

In the Study of I Samuel we will be introduced to Hannah, Eli, Samuel, Saul, Jonathan, and David. We will look at these lives and see their response and resistance to God. By studying God's Word, we will make application to our lives from these famous Biblical characters.

## New Sunday School Classes Classes start TODAY!



**Grandparenting Matters**  
**Led by: Randy & Roberta Hofeldt**  
**Room: 400**

No matter how you came about having the title grandparent you are incredibly important to your grandkids. You are uniquely positioned to spiritually influence your grandkids. And you have a Biblical mandate to do so (Deuteronomy 4:9). Grandparenting Matters is an upcoming Adult Sunday School class. The video and discussion can help participants learn key principles and embrace their biblical role. It is designed to inform, equip, and inspire participants to become more intentional about grandparenting and build a spiritual legacy with their families. To learn more about Grandparent Matters material <https://legacycoalition.com/>